

EXHIBIT A

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

W.R. GRACE & COMPANY, et al¹,

Chapter 11

Debtors.

Case No. 01-01139(JKF)
(Jointly Administered)

VERIFICATION

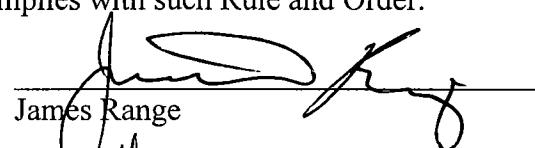
Washington
District of Columbia

James Range, after being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says:

1. I am Senior Public Policy Advisor of Baker, Donelson, Bearman, Caldwell & Berkowitz, P.C.
2. I personally performed the work relating to the rendering of Legislative Affairs Services as set forth and described in the monthly detail for the month of September, 2005 attached as Exhibit B.
3. I reviewed the Application and the facts set forth therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

¹ The Debtors consist of the following 62 entities: W.R. Grade & Co. (f/k/a Grace Specialty Chemicals, Inc.). W.R. Grace & Co.-Conn, A-1 Bit & Tool Co., Inc., Alewife Boston Ltd., Alewife Land Corporation, Amicon, Inc., CB Biomedical, Inc. (f/k/a Circe Biomedical, Inc.), CCHP, Inc., Coalgrace, Inc., Coalgrace II, Inc., Creative Food 'N Fun Company, Darex Puerto Rico, Inc., Del Taco Restaurants, Inc. Dewey and Almy, LLC (f/k/a Dewey and Almy Company), Ecarq, Inc., Five Alewife Boston Ltd.; G C Limited Partners I, Inc. (f/k/a Grace Cocoa Limited Partners I, Inc.), G C Management, Inc. (fka Grace Cocoa management, Inc.), GEC Management Corporation, GN Holdings, Inc., GPC Thomasville Corp., Gloucester New Communities Company, Inc., Grace A-B Inc., Grace A-B ((Inc., Grace Chemical Company of Cuba, Grace Culinary Systems, Inc., Grace Drilling Company, Grace Energy Corporation, Grace Environmental, Inc., Grace Europe, Inc., Grace H-G Inc, Grace H-Gm II Inc., Grace Hotel Services Corporation, Grace International Holdings, Inc. (f/k/a Dearborn International Holdings, Inc.), Grace Offshore Company, Grace PAR Corporation, Grace Petroleum Libya Incorporated, Grace Tarpon Investors, Inc., Grace Ventures Corp., Grace Washington, Inc., W.R. Grace Capital Corporation, W.R. Grace Land Corporation, Gracoal, Inc., Gracoal II, Inc., Guanica-Caribe Land Development Corporation, Hanover Square Corporation, Homco International, Inc., Kootenni Development Company, L B Realty, Inc., Litigation Management, Inc. (f/k/a GHSC Holding, Inc., Grace JVH, Inc., Asbestos Management, Inc.), Monolity Enterprises Incorporated, Monroe Street, Inc., MRA Holdings Corp. (f/k/a Nestor-BNA Holdings Corporation), MRA Intermedco, Inc. (f/k/a Nestor-BNA, Inc.), MRA Staffing Systems, Inc. (f/k/a British Nursing Association, In.), Remedium Group, Inc. (f/k/a Environmental Liability Management, Inc., E&C Liquidating Corp., Emerson & Cuming, Inc.), Southern Oil, Resin & Fiberglass, Inc., Water Street Corporation, Axial Basin Ranch Company, CC Partners (f/k/a Cross Country Staffing), Hayden-Gulch West Coal Company, H-G Coal Company.

4. I have reviewed the requirements of Local Rule 2016-2 and the Amended Administrative Order under 11 U.S.C. §§ 105(a) and 331 Establishing Revised Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses for Professionals and Official Committee Members signed April 17, 2002 and submit that the Application substantially complies with such Rule and Order.



James Range

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 11 day of October, 2005.



Elizabeth Taylor
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: **Elizabeth Taylor**
Notary Public, District of Columbia
My Commission Expires 12-14-2006